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**MATH. 224.3 (ALL SECTIONS)**

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Midterm Examination #2

Time: 4:30-5:50

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**IMPORTANT**

- Print your name and encode your student number on the multiple choice sheet.
  - Open Book Examination: Students may use "Calculus" by J. Stewart.
  - No Calculators or formula sheets are allowed.
  - All questions are of equal value.
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1. Evaluate the limit of the sequence  $\left\{ \left( 1 - \frac{4}{n} \right)^n \right\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ .

(A)  $e^0$  (B)  $e^{-1}$  (C)  $e$  (D)  $e^{-2}$  (E)  $e^2$  (F)  $e^{-3}$  (G)  $e^3$  (H)  $e^{-4}$  (I)  $e^4$  (J)  $e^{-5}$

2. Evaluate the limit of the sequence

$$\sqrt[5]{9}, \sqrt[5]{9\sqrt[5]{9}}, \sqrt[5]{9\sqrt[5]{9\sqrt[5]{9}}}, \dots$$

assuming that this limit exists.

(A)  $3^{\frac{1}{11}}$  (B)  $3^{\frac{1}{10}}$  (C)  $3^{\frac{1}{9}}$  (D)  $3^{\frac{1}{8}}$  (E)  $3^{\frac{1}{7}}$  (F)  $3^{\frac{1}{6}}$  (G)  $3^{\frac{1}{5}}$  (H)  $3^{\frac{1}{4}}$  (I)  $3^{\frac{1}{3}}$  (J)  $3^{\frac{1}{2}}$

3. Evaluate the sum  $s = 1 + 0.7 + 0.49 + 0.343 + \dots$ .

(A)  $\frac{16}{7}$  (B)  $\frac{15}{7}$  (C)  $\frac{14}{5}$  (D)  $\frac{13}{5}$  (E)  $\frac{12}{5}$  (F)  $\frac{11}{5}$  (G)  $\frac{14}{3}$  (H)  $\frac{12}{3}$  (I)  $\frac{11}{3}$  (J)  $\frac{10}{3}$

4. Evaluate the sum of the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{n^2 + 4n + 3}$ .

(A)  $\frac{1}{6}$  (B)  $\frac{2}{6}$  (C)  $\frac{3}{6}$  (D)  $\frac{4}{6}$  (E)  $\frac{5}{6}$  (F) 1 (G)  $\frac{7}{6}$  (H)  $\frac{8}{6}$  (I)  $\frac{9}{6}$  (J) Does not exist

5. Evaluate the sum of the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [0.09 \cdot (0.7)^n + 0.49 \cdot (0.3)^n]$ .

- (A) 1 (B)  $\frac{1}{2}$  (C) 0.42 (D) 0.21 (E)  $\frac{1}{3}$  (F)  $\sqrt{2}$  (G) 0.63 (H)  $\frac{1}{5}$  (I)  $\frac{1}{4}$  (J) Does not exist

6. Consider the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{3(-1)^{n-1}}{n^2}$ . Find the smallest integer  $n$  (among the given choices

(A)–(J)) such that the  $n^{\text{th}}$  partial sum  $s_n$  satisfies the inequality  $|s - s_n| < 0.01$ .

- (A) 10 (B) 11 (C) 12 (D) 13 (E) 14 (F) 15 (G) 16 (H) 17 (I) 18 (J) 19

7. The series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^{-kn^2}$  converges for all values of  $k$  such that:

- (A)  $k < 0$  (B)  $k = 0$  (C)  $-1 < k < 1$  (D)  $k > 0$  (E)  $0 \leq k < 1$

- (F)  $0 \leq k < \infty$  (G)  $-1 \leq k \leq 0$  (H)  $-1 < k \leq 0$  (I)  $-1 < k < 0$  (J)  $-2 < k < 1$

8. Consider the following two series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n n^9}{(1.01)^n}$  and  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n n!}{n^5}$ . Which of the following statements regarding the convergence of these series is correct?

- (A) AC, AC (B) AC, CC (C) AC, D (D) CC, AC (E) CC, CC

- (F) CC, D (G) D, AC (H) D, CC (I) D, D

9. Evaluate the sum  $\sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n \cdot \ln n \cdot \ln(\ln n)}$ .

- (A) 1 (B)  $\frac{3}{2}$  (C)  $\frac{4}{3}$  (D)  $\frac{5}{4}$  (E)  $\frac{6}{5}$  (F)  $\frac{7}{6}$  (G)  $\frac{8}{7}$  (H)  $\frac{9}{8}$  (I)  $\frac{10}{9}$  (J) Does not exist

10. Identify the series which is conditionally convergent, but not absolutely convergent.

- (A)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{n^2 2^n}{n!}$  (B)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n \arctan n}{n^3}$  (C)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-3)^n}{n!}$  (D)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^n}{5^{2n+3}}$
- (E)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{6}\right)}{n\sqrt{n}}$  (F)  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(\ln n)^n}$  (G)  $\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n \ln n}$  (H)  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(\arctan n)^n}$

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